

Redevelopment of Newport Bus Station gets underway

Newport Bus Station will close in the near future pending the start of long-term re-development works.

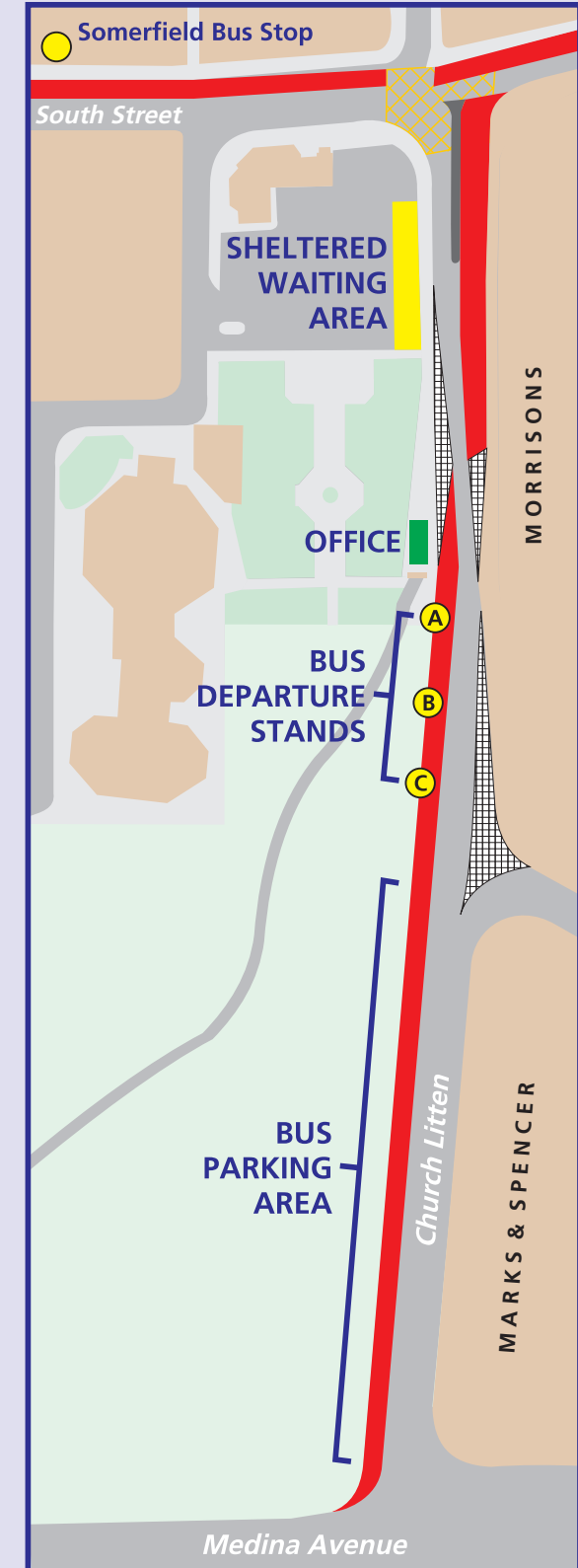
What does this mean to me as a passenger?

This will mean that most bus services will depart from temporary bus stands in Church Litten.

However, some services will have to depart from a bus stop outside Somerfield (in South Street):
 Services 2, 2B, 3B, 21 & 24 towards Shanklin/Sandown.
 Services 3 & 3A towards Ventnor.

If my bus departs from Church Litten, where should I wait?

- You should wait near the special bus shelters situated in the Church Litten car park.
- An electronic display board positioned on the end of our temporary office near the archway will tell you which stand (A, B or C) your bus will depart from.
- You will also hear related announcements over our PA system.
- Normal bus timetable information will be posted both on the special bus shelters and on the side of our office.
- Passengers will NOT be able to board the bus in the bus parking area, they must wait until the bus pulls forward onto a bus departure stand.



If my bus departs from Somerfield, where should I wait?

You should use the stop outside Somerfield like a normal bus stop. There will be bus timetable information posted on the shelter for services departing from this stop.

What about other bus stops in Newport Town Centre?

Some routes will have to alter slightly because of the re-development work. This will mean that the bus stops at Medina Avenue and M&S will not be in use during the redevelopment.

What happens if I'm travelling across Newport (eg Ryde to West Wight)?

If your bus uses Church Litten, it will pull into the bus parking area and wait to use a departure stand (A, B, C). If your bus stops outside Somerfield, it will stay at the stop from when it arrives until it is scheduled to depart as normal.



Will there be anyone around to help me?

Various staff, including Inspectors, will be in both the Church Litten bus parking area and in our temporary office to assist passengers with general enquiries and locating their buses.

The existing Travel Shop will be open as normal; access will be maintained from South Street.

If you require further information, please visit a Southern Vectis Travel Shop, please phone our enquiry line on 532373 or visit www.svoc.co.uk

